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Honorable Robert A. Taft
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

My dear Senator:

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated May 29, 1939, setting forth information relative to the appearance in a popular magazine of a picture of the room said to have been occupied by Fritz Kuhn which showed a table and chair and the American flag used as a floor covering.

A copy of the photograph described in your letter was previously called to my attention, at which time I referred the matter to Honorable Matthew McGuire, The Acting Assistant to the Attorney General, for the purpose of ascertaining if it was desired that an investigation be conducted concerning this matter.

I am now in receipt of a memorandum from Mr. McGuire suggesting that an investigation of this matter be made along with the general investigation which we are now conducting for the purpose of ascertaining if the German American Bund is subject to the provisions of the Registration Act of Agents of Foreign Principals.

I want to express to you my sincere appreciation for your interest and courtesy in having directed your letter to me.

With expressions of my highest esteem and best regards,

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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